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SUBJ: TRAVEL OF THAI LEGISLATOR TO U.S.

1. NATIONAL LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY (NLA) MEMBER DR. KAMON SOMWICHIAN WILL VISIT WASHINGTON, D.C. AUGUST 21-23 ON BEHALF OF THE NLA COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE REFORM. HE IS INTERESTED IN STUDYING ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT FOR THE U.S. CONGRESS AND HAS REQUESTED OUR ASSISTANCE IN ARRANGING APPOINTMENTS. WITH APPROPRIATE HE OFFICIALS ON THE HILL. TO MEET WITH A U.S. SENATOR WHO IS EITHER INTERESTED IN THAILAND OR WELL-INFORMED ABOUT THE WORKINGS OF THE U.S. CONGRESS, WITH THE LIBRARIAN OF THE LIBRARY OF CONGRESS AND THE DIRECTOR OF THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE SERVICE.

2. KAMONIS TRAVEL EXPENSES WILL BE PAID BY THE NLA. WE PLAN TO OFFER HIM A PARTIAL INTERNATIONAL VISITOR GRANT TO EXTEND HIS STAY IN THE UNITED STATES IF HE SO DESIRES. THE PARTIAL GRANT WOULD TAKE THE PLACE OF THE FULL IV GRANT WHICH WE HAD INTENDED TO OFFER HIM,

3. ACTION REQUESTED: REQUEST THE DEPARTMENT, IN COORDINATION WITH THE THAI EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON, ARRANGE THE APPOINTMENTS WHICH KAMON HAS REQUESTED. PLEASE REPLY BY RETURN TELEGRAM BY JULY 23 WHEN KAMON WILL RETURN FROM AN ASIAN PARLIAMENTARY UNION MEETING IN SEOUL AND A VISIT TO JAPAN.

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